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#### FCS Challenges

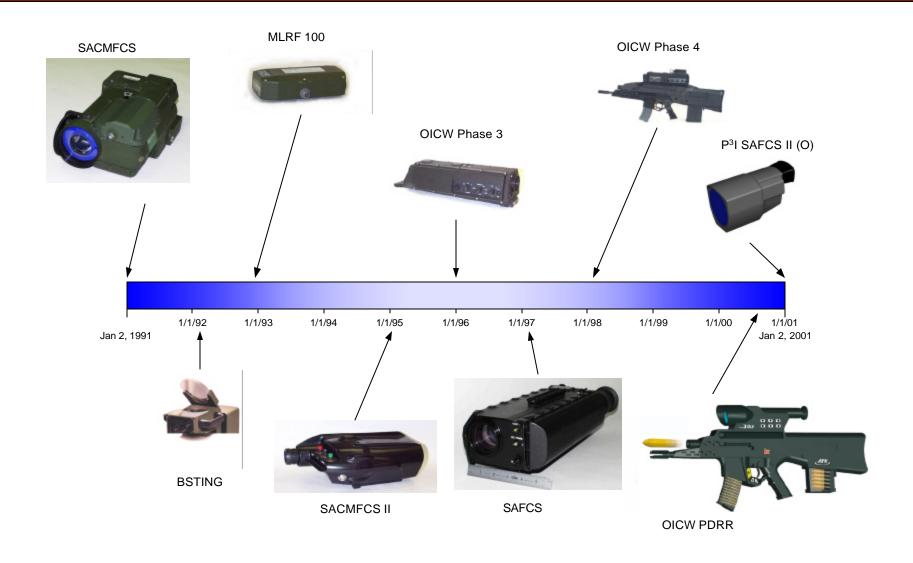


- Designing a fire control system that can withstand the military environment within size & weight constraints
  - Soldier handling is significantly more severe than the weapon firing shock
- Designing a sophisticated fire control system that provides simple, intuitive operation
  - Soldiers are upgrading from standard weapon iron sights
- Designing a reliable, cost effective fire control system
  - Widespread deployment requires management of total ownership cost
- Designing a fire control system that significantly improves soldiers effectiveness lethality & survivability

The Futuristic Digital Battlefield requires systems that provide full day/night operation with communications capabilities

# Individual & Crew Served Fire Control Systems





#### Maturing a Vision









Transforming Infantry Capability
OICW Complements and Expands
Today's Capabilities

#### Modular Weapon System – M4 Carbine



Total Weight: 28.0 lbs + TBD (LRF,Compass,Video,etc) (Uses 5 different batteries)



Difficult system operation with the large number of buttons,

## OICW - 20 mm Airburst & KE Capability





Sub-Module Laser Range Finder Housing Controls Power Source CPU Ballistic Computer Fuze Setter Display Video **Direct View Optics** Thermal Tracker/Laser Steerer CIDDS Compass Aimlight Laser Illuminator MILES **Embedded Training** Bore Sighting Zero LW ICD

#### **Conclusion**



- Perform system level functional module Value Assessment, QFD, & CAIV to determine the optimized functionality for the OICW System
- Established IPTs FCS, Weapon, Ammo, Systems, Test, Synthetic Environment, Supportability, Training Government/Contractor team jointly working to develop this futuristic weapon system
- Investigating emerging and future materials along with advanced manufacturing processes to minimize weight, power, and cost